Resolution No. 88 February 10, 2005

Authorizing The Director Of The Ulster County Emergency Communications/Emergency Management To Render Assistance To Other Counties For Disaster Emergency Services

The Criminal Justice / Public Safety / STOP DWI Committee (Chairman Meyer and Legislators Aiello, DePew, Every, Dart, Feldmann and Hyatt) and Legislators Alfonso, Busick, Cummings, Felicello, Gerentine, Harris, Hathaway, Maloney, McAfee, Meyer, Noonan, Roberti, Stock and Tipp offer the following:

WHEREAS, during the course of a major disaster in one or more of the counties of New York State, such county or counties may call for assistance from the Ulster County Emergency Communications/Emergency Management Office, and

WHEREAS, this assistance may require the Director and/or his designee to travel to other counties to furnish assistance in such disaster, and

WHEREAS, such assistance is authorized under the Defense Emergency Act, Article 3, Section 28, and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Ulster County Emergency Communications/Emergency Management is requesting pre-approval for such assistance to other counties, in the reasonable expectation that should Ulster County ever require such aid and assistance, it would be forthcoming from other counties in the State, and

WHEREAS, the Criminal Justice/Public Safety/STOP DWI Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval.

RESOLVED, that the Ulster County Director of Emergency Communications/Emergency Management and/or his designee, is hereby authorized to travel to other counties, if necessary, to render aid and assistance during a major disaster and disaster recovery, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, notification of such emergency response shall be made to the County Administrator and/or the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature as soon as practicable,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 32 NOES: 0 (Legislator Tipp left at 7:17 P.M.)

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NONE